COUNTY OF RICHLAND	OFFICER FOR CONSTRUCTION
IN THE MATTER OF: PROTEST  COASTAL SCIENCE & ENGINEERING  ()	CASE NO. 2011-003
vs )	DISMISSAL
SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL )	<b>SEPTEMBER 26, 2011</b>
BEACH EROSION RESEARCH AND ) MONITORING ) SOLICITATION NO. RFP-37310-1/12/10-EMW )	

This matter is before the Chief Procurement Officer (CPOC) pursuant to a request from Coastal Science and Engineering, dated August 4, 2010 under the provisions of SC Code Ann §11-35-4230, for an administrative review of a contract controversy.

The CPOC hereby dismisses the request for resolution of a contract controversy on the grounds that the request has been withdrawn.

John St. C. White

Chief Procurement Officer for Construction

26 Sept 2011 Date

Columbia, South Carolina

September 20, 2011

Mr. John White, CPO Office of State Engineer 1201 Main Street (Room 600) Columbia SC 29201

RE: Protest of RFP-37310-1/12/10-EMW [CSE P2335]

Dear Mr. White:

I am writing to withdraw our firm's protest of the above-referenced procurement for beach monitoring services. While CSE does not believe it should be competing with universities and student labor for projects of this type, we are withdrawing our protest so the State can resume data collection at the earliest time.

Thank you for your attention.

Yours truly,

Coastal Science & Engineering (CSE)

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